scaly glittering particles,
a water-soluble resin,
a water-soluble organic solvent,
a colorant,
a binder component for fixing the said scaly particles to a written mark or a coated film; and
water,
wherein said scaly glittering particles have
a median diameter of at least 10μm,
the ratio of smoothness on the particle surface to the median diameter of not greater than 0.011, and
a surface coating ratio of said colorant covering the surface of said particle's surface in a written mark of not greater than 80% in a state of a dried written mark.

13. (Amended) An aqueous glittering ink as set forth in claim 1, containing a synthetic resin emulsion as the said binder component.

18. (Amended.) An aqueous glittering ink as set forth in claim 13, further containing an opacifying pigment.

19. (Thrice Amended) A method for forming a written mark comprising scaly glittering particles, wherein scaly glittering particles have a median diameter of at least 10 μm, the ratio of smoothness on the particle surface to said median diameter is not greater than 0.011, and the surface coating ratio of a colorant to the scaly glittering particles is not greater than 80%, interspersing the scaly glittering particles within the range of not greater than 80% to the total written surface, and interspersing said colorant's particles among said scaly glittering particles.

20. (Thrice Amended) A method for forming a written mark comprising scaly glittering particles, wherein scaly glittering particles have a median diameter of at least 25 μm, the ratio of smoothness on the particle surface to said median diameter is not greater than 0.011, and the surface coating ratio of a colorant to the scaly glittering particles is not greater than 40%, interspersing the scaly glittering particles within the range of 20 - 45% to the total written surface, and interspersing said colorant's particles among said scaly glittering particles.

23. (Twice Amended) A written mark having the characteristics of an aqueous glittering ink, wherein scaly glittering particles have a median diameter of at least 10 μm, the ratio of smoothness on the particle surface to the said median diameter is not greater than 0.011, and the surface coating ratio of a colorant to the scaly glittering particles is not greater than 80%, interspersing the scaly glittering particles within the range of not greater than 80% to the total written surface, and interspersing the said colorant's particles among the said scaly glittering particles.

24. (Twice Amended) A written mark having the characteristics of an aqueous glittering ink, wherein scaly glittering particles have a median diameter of at least 25 μm, the ratio of smoothness on the particle surface to the said median diameter is not greater than 0.011,

and the surface coating ratio of a colorant to the scaly glittering particles is not greater than 40%, interspersing the scaly glittering particles within the range of 20 ~ 45% to the total written surface, and interspersing the said colorant's particles among the said scaly glittering particles.

28. (Amended) A ball-point pen with an aqueous glittering ink filled in the ink tank comprising scaly glittering particles, a water-soluble resin, a water-soluble organic solvent, a colorant, a binder component for fixing the said scaly glittering particles to a written mark or a coated film, and water, wherein said scaly glittering particles have a median diameter of at least 25 μm, and the a ratio of smoothness on the particle surface to a median diameter is not greater than 0.011, and a surface coating ratio of the said colorant covering the surface of the particle's surface in a written mark of not greater than 80% in a state of a dried written mark, a thixotropy index of not less than 1.3, represented by the ratio of V0.5 to V1.0 (V0.5 / V1.0), wherein V0.5 is the viscosity with the rotation speed of 0.5 rpm and V1.0 is the viscosity with the rotation speed of 1.0 rpm when the ink is measured by an ELD viscometer with a 3°R14 cone, at a temperature of 20°C and the V0.5, the viscosity with the rotation speed of 0.5 rpm, of 1000 - 15000 mPa.

29. (Twice Amended) A method for forming a coated film comprising scaly glittering particles, wherein the scaly glittering particles have a median diameter of at least 10μm, the ratio of smoothness on the particle surface to said median diameter is not greater than 0.011, and the surface coating ratio of a colorant to the scaly glittering particles is not greater than 80%, interspersing the scaly glittering particles within the range of not greater than 80% to the total written surface, and interspersing said colorant's particles among the said scaly glittering particles.

30. (Twice Amended) An aqueous glittering ink comprising scaly glittering particles, a water-soluble resin, a water-soluble organic solvent, a colorant, a binder component for fixing the said scaly glittering particles to a written mark or a coated film, and water, wherein said scaly glittering particles have a median diameter of at least 30 μm, the ratio of smoothness on the particle surface to the median diameter is not greater than 0.011, and a surface coating ratio of said colorant covering the surface of said particle's surface in a written mark is not greater than 80% in a state of a dried written mark.

32. (Amended) An aqueous glittering ink as set forth in claim 30, wherein the scaly glittering particles are selected from the group consisting of flaky glass coated with metal, inorganic particles coated with metal, and aluminum powder.

33. (Amended) A method for forming a coated film comprising scaly glittering particles, wherein scaly glittering particles have a median diameter of at least 10μm, the ratio of smoothness on the particle surface to said median diameter is not greater than 0.011, and the surface coating ratio of a colorant to the scaly glittering particles is not greater than 80%, interspersing the scaly glittering particles within the range of not greater than 80% to the total written surface, and interspersing said colorant's particles among the said scaly glittering particles.